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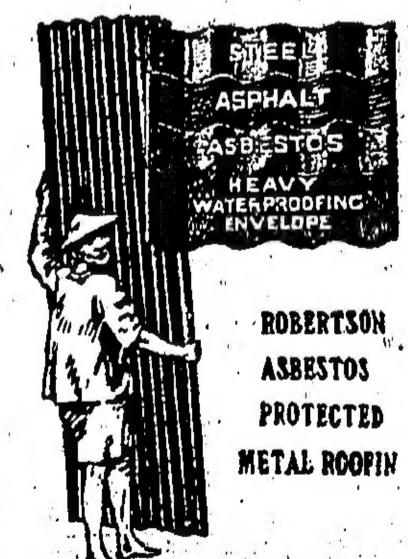
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LEGAL PROCEEDINGS.

NITERESTING ITEMS AT TO-DAY'S MEETING.

boarding ferry boats after the Cornered in Chinese waters a toms launch operating in Chinese gangway is up was referred to in Hongkong trading junk resorted to waters off Macac, had been capthe course of to-day's annual force and successfully ran the tured by strikers and held to ranmeeting of the Star Ferry Co., | gauntlet. Limited, the Chairman, Mr. With a crow of six men and

probable completion of the new British waters) ferries in April and improvements . About 9 p.m. on Tuesday th

the Hon. Sir Fhul Chater, the which Hongkong Chinese make Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang and Mr. annual pilgrimages every spring. F. H. Crapnell, Secretary, the following shareholders being pre- fusilade from the junk's muskets. sent: Messrs, W. S. Bailey, L. S. Greenhill, J. T. Bagram, W. J. Carrolly J. P. Braga, R. V. Harris, H.,R. Sturt, O. F. Ribeiro, A. H. M. da Silva, and E. Sadick.

The Chairman said:-The report and statement of accounts, together with the auditor's report, have been in your hands for some days and with your permission. I will follow the usual procedure and take them as read.

Proposed Alterations. On January 1, 1925, the two new launches "Golden Star" and 'Meridian Star" were brought into service; two further boats, "TAMING" INCIDENT. the "Solar Star" and "Night Star" are nearing completion and are expected to be ready early in April next. I hope when all these ere in operation, it will make for the greater comfort and convenience of the public. It is proposed To sell the two oldest vessels as • they will no longer be required for the maintenance of our service. Your directors have also had under consideration for some time telterations and improvements to the lee House Street pier. There is only passage way at the present time to serve for both in-coming and out-going first-class passengers and it is frequently very congested. Plans showing the promitted to the Committee of the Kowloon Residents' Association. for their consideration, and when la scheme has been decided upon, it will be proceeded with as soon as possible.

. When the ferry crews went on strike at the end of June, I regret forward from last year, namely, to say that the service was dis- \$11,415.08—that is, ignoring the organised and a good deal of inconvenience and delay was caused to reserve in connection with the to people crossing the harbour. capitalisation of that account-But thanks to the aid rendered by there is available for approprianaval ratings and later by officers and engineers of the Mercantile Marine, we were able to maintain a curtailed service until the launch. crews returned to work in August. To all those who assisted us in this difficult period, I wish to tender our hearty thanks,

A Dangerous Practice.

There is a matter that I should ! like to take this opportunity to reing the ferries after the gangway Fund. has been lifted and the ferry is under weigh. It is a dangerous thing further that calls for compractice and contrary to our By- ment and now beg to propose that on such launch and on sented be adopted and passed. the wharf warning people When this has been seconded, I against this but it is ignored." If shall be pleased to answer to the this goes on it will be necessary best of my ability any questions for the Company to prosecute that shareholders may wish to offenders in order to stop it.

Absconding Shroff.

Turning now to the accounts, you will observe an amount of This is a lose sustained owing to jointly employed by the Hongkong by Mr. Sturt. and Howloon Wharf and Godown The Hon. Sir Paul Chater was Viends and service will be of Co, Itd, and ourselves, and they re elected director on the proposi- the same high order, and music

also suffered a loss. We have transferred \$20,000 Carroll to the accident fund to bring this Mr. Bernard Brown was re- prove as popular as the old one up to \$100,000. Special repairs elected auditor on the proposition whose place it should speedily take fund was drawn on during the of Mr. da Silva seconded by Mr. I'm the social life of the Colony. year to the extent of \$80,072.55, Bagram. and \$24.666.82 has been transfer- This concluded the business of red to it, making it now stand at the meeting and the Chairman an-350:000. After effecting these hounced that dividend wherants transfers and taking info con- could be obtained on application sideration the amount brought on and after to-morrow.

STRIKERS KILLED.

HONGKONG BOAT'S DEADLY BROADSIDE.

DUEL AT SEA BY NIGHT.

How a heavy broadside from a battery of obsolete "naval" guns killed between ten and twenty atrikers doing picket duty is related in a report made here.

D. G. M. Bernard, intimating that three women, and carrying an if it did not stop it would be armament of four muzzle-loading detained and subsequently renecessary for the Company to cannon and several ancient leased. muskets, this vessel left Tai Ping The absconding of the Com- ka town near the Bocca Tigris pany's shroff with money, the forts) for Hau Hoi (in Deep Bay,

unity to secure goods from to one of the piers were other junk observed a boat of strike matters referred to by the Chair- pickets calling upon them to heave This was at Chik Wan the . Mr. Bernard was supported by place famous for its temple to

> This challenge was met with There were about twenty-four strikers on the boat and they fought back with rifles.

Safe behind the improvised iron plates carried on the junk's sides. the crow manned their cannon After eight rounds had been fired the strikers withdrew. The 'junkmuster' estimates that

number was killedi. The junk reached her destination without further incident and came on to Hongkong.

AGENTS INFORMED OF "SEIZURE."

News has been received by (agents for the China Navigation Co.) that the s.s. "Taming" has been interfered with at Holhow, a port of Hainan Island, which was recently captured by Canton's

East Thursday the steamer left Hongkong, with cargo and passengers. A wireless message was sent by one of the passengers who, with the others, had been transferred to the s.s. "Hanoi." Details are lacking. The posed alterations have been sub- "Taming," in the ordinary course of events," would have cleared from Hoihow on Monday but is now due to leave that port for Haiphong at 6 p.m. to-day.

> amount subsequently transferred tion a balance of \$272,234.69. 1 is proposed to pay a dividend of \$1.50 per share and a bonus of a like amount, absorbing \$240,000,

and carry forward \$32,234.69. hope that these appropriations will meet with the approval of shareholders, and would like to remind you that the number of shares on which dividend is now being paid was doubled in 1925 by fer to, and, that is, people board- the capitalisation of Reserve

I do not think there is any-There is a notice the report and accounts as pre-

Other Business.

CUSTOMS OUTRAGE.

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EUROPEAN OFFICER-SEIZED OFF MACAO.

SUBSEQUENT RELEASE.

SUSPICIOUS VESSEL SAID TO BE PIRATE.

An earlier report that Weston, second officer of g. Cussom is discounted in official quarters, although there are no doubts as to his having been captured and

This, it is stated, was nothing to do with the strikers who have an organisation in the neighbourhood to prevent the landing of goods without the necessary, permit, but that the capture was the work of pirates, subsequent recase being the result of interven-

tion of the authorities in Canton. The Customs cruiser "Lung Shing" was on Monday on the look out for contraband goods among the cargo of the various boats passing. Mr. Weston, with others, boarded a vessel which is said to have been similar in appearance to a small torpedo boat

and, finding opium and salt aboard. is said to have called to his companions who were left alongside in the boat. The vessel on which two-thirds of their adversary's Mr. Weston was, then, steamed away with him on board. Mr. Weston, it appears, was taken to Canton. According to local Chinese newspapers he was to be. "tried" but whatever his experiences there, he has certainly been released subsequently.

Junks and other vessels taking cargo from Hongkong have the choice of two routes for the West but the most favoured of these in recent days has been by way of the Gae Mun channel because of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire the reported mining of the way Gae Mun vessels have to pass the Customs station at Ma Low Chow and it was off there that the incident in question is reported to accused, imposing sentences have taken place.

JAPAN'S PREMIER.

DEATH OF VISCOUNT KATO

LÖSS TÖ NATION. (Reuter's. Service.)

Tekyo, Jan. 28. The Premier, Viscount Takaaki Kato, G.C.M.G., is dead. a win



Viscount Kato.

NEW GRILL ROOM. HOTEL COMPANY'S FRESH ENTERPRISE.

The Hon. Sir Paul Chater that the Grill Room will open in Messrs. Empreza Commercial do seconded the adoption of the re- the Roof Garden on Monday, the Extremo Oriente, Macao, This \$1,300 written off under the head- ports and accounts, a motion Ast February, special attention product of Portugal is one of the ing of "bad and doubtful debts." which was carried unanimously. being given to a la carte service best sweet white wines and is in Confirmation of the appoint and dinner parties

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tion of Mr. Harris seconded by Mr. will be discoursed for the dancers. The new Grill Room should

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RUNS AMOK? MAN WITH AXE KILLED B

COLLEAGUE INJURED.

Considerable excitement was caused on the Central Praya this morning (near the Yaumati ferry) when a Chinese, who is believed to have run amok, killed himself by jumping into the road from a verandah, after wounding a colleague.

about and the man's fall, was noticed about 10 a.m., just before the characters have been under exmorning meal in the Hoo Choong amination. Wo firm of shipchandlers, where he was employed.

On the verandah, one of fokis was found with severe inalleged to have been caused an axe which the dead man used. The man who fell into

street subsequently succumbed to injuries. The other, said to be have been his victim, now in hospital, in a dangerous but not critical condition.

"WATER" THIEVES.

CONVICTIONS AT KOWLOON COURT

GANG BOTTLED UP:

Two Chinese were charged as the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with thefit of rope and canvas from the s.s. "Namsang," an additional charge of larceny from the s.s. "Escondido" being preferred against one of them.

The first accused is believed to River when leaving foreign waters be the last of a gang of notorious "water" thieves. He made fruitless attempt to escape by there is no doubt that the stolen jumping into the water when raid was made at Shaukiwan, some part of the building and by Wangmoon. To get through A confederate who jumped from a window is now in hospital.

The Magistrate (Mr. R. A. D. Forrest) convicted both two and three months!

JUNK PIRATED.

NIGHT ATTACK NEAR LYEEMUN.

LIVESTOCK CARGO STOLEN.

A fishing junk engaged on a voyage from Shanmei to Shaukiwan was pirated at 10 o'clock last night outside Lyeemun Pass by a gang of five men armed with a revolver and daggers.

The pirates approached the junk in a boat and getting aboard Bay. subdued the crew of four persons. The junk had a cargo of 27 pigs, valued at \$400; which was transferred by the visitors into their shop belonging to a Chinese vessel. The crew were then released. They made a report to asleep at the time. The unsusthe police on arrival in the har-

WHITE WINE.

VINHO BRANCO SHIPMENTS RESUMED.

Gande Price & Co., Ltd. sample bottle of Vinho Branco Nam Street, Shamshuipo, had a wine, which de considered by the visit from an armed gang at 4 Portuguese community to be the o'clock this morning. Four men leading brand of wine produced were concerned, one armed with a The Hongkong Hotel announces in O Porto and supplied by revolver and the others with considerable demand in Hongthe Company's shroff absconding ments of Mr. D. G. M. Bernard The "China Mail" understands kong. Of late, there have been no ing. on July 2 with \$3,300, of which and the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang as that the Grill Room will be on stocks held locally but a shipment only \$2,000 has been recovered directors was approved on the pro- exactly the same lines as it was having arrived, Gande, Price & from his security. This man was position of Mr. Bailey, seconded when it was on the first floor in Co., Ltd. are in a position to meet all demands.

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MORE LOOT AND GANG'S IMPLEMENTS.

A USEFUL CLUE?

HEAVY CASH BOX STILL MISSING.

No developments have so far resulted in the search for the thieves who carried out a successful burglary at the Popular Silk Store on A number of people were Sunday night, since when it is understood at least two suspicious

Reference was made in the "China Mail" on Monday to a lavatory on the fifth floor of China juries to the head and limbs, Building where the thieves had abandoned a portion of the stolen shawls and silks. This lavatory becomes prominent in another startling discovery made to-day.

A watchman entered the place this morning and found two bundles of silk goods and immediately reported the find at the office.

The manager of Messrs. D. Chellaram (proprietors of the Popular Silk Store) was called in at 10.30 and identified the contents of the bundles as part of the shawls and silks which were

There were altogether 89 shawls, "the value of which with the silk has been assessed at \$2,531. Two of the shawls and three pieces of silk had been soaked in water.

A further discovery on opening the bundles was the presence of two pointed iron bars which were used by the thieves in digging through the floor.

How the bundles found their way into the lavatory is still a matter for investigation, but a property had been concealed in were discarded by the robbers on

fearing detection. It is not unlikely that a heavy cash box which was removed with its contents will also be brought out from its hiding place in the interesting developments which are expected to follow.

ARMED GANGS.

NEW TERRITORIES SHOP

ROBBERY AND KIDNAPPING.

LOOTED.

A report of an armed robbery and kidnapping was received this morning from Lung Ku Tan village, which is in the Pin Shan

district and extends into Deep At 10 p.m. yesterday, five robbers fully armed with rifles and revolvers knocked at the door of a widow, who with her family were pecting woman was taken aback when she opened the door and was confronted with the robbers, one of whom she recognised as a

former employee of her shop. The men stole \$400 in money and a basket of chickens valued at \$10. They also kidnapped the woman's son and nephew and left in a boat in the direction of Lin

Tin Island. Haul at Shamshuipo. favoured the "China Mail" with a The inmates, of No. 104, Tai

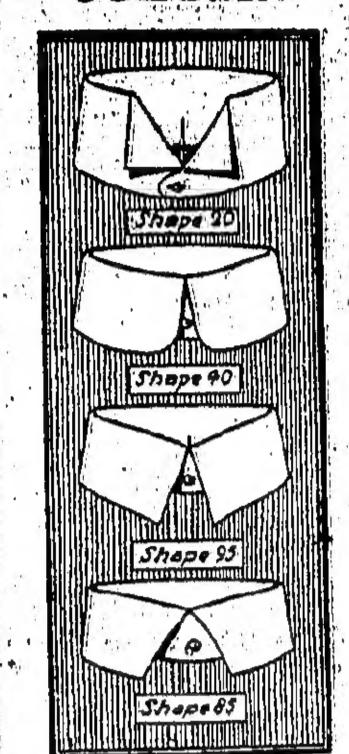
> The robbers remained a long time in the house and escaped with booky worth \$470, comprising jewellery, money and cloth-

> > MRS. H. A. JONES.

juries of a complicated nature were sustained by Mrs. H. A. Jones, wife of the manager of Moutrie's, who was taken to the French Hospital yesterday suffering from shock bruises and abrasions sometimed as a result of a Rai Tack bus overturning when The elegant rate of the following the first out of the control of the first out of the control o

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

SUGAR PRICES.

Cuban Producers Demands.

Cuban sugar producers again tored. are resisting reduction of prices, according to a recent cable of the and Industry.

at 4.14 c.i.f. New York:

The Philippine Commercial ried on on a socialistic basis. Agency at New York reports This courageous book, which that Philippine sales amounted to cuts through conventions and 2,000 tons of nearby shipments at goes straight to the economic con- Ondemand -4.11 cents gold per pound, or troversies of the moment, should P11.44 per picul, c.i.f. New York; be in very large demand, and as

Bureau of Commerce and Industry economics. states that some progress in the decontrol of sugar has been made in Europe during the past few months, mainly in the direction of removing restrictions on foreign trade.

The message says that the export of sugar from Belgium, previously permitted only by special battledore of the world wheat authorisation, has been freed of crop. this requirement since June 18. The wheat yield for 1924 was In Germany, however, the im- 8,010,000,000 bushels, a decrease ports are no longer limited since of about 13 per cent. from 1928. the new tariff came into force This, coupled with active buying on September 1, last year, of American wheat by European Recently Czecho-Slovakia, by de- countries sent the Chicago quotacree of October 31, abolished the tions soaring. In January the Exchange Business Transacted. Corre- tax of 1/2 per cent ad valorem highest future price in Chicago levies upon raw exports.

A GOOD BOOK.

Admissions of a Capitalist.

Sir Ernest J. P. Benn has become a real force in Fleet Street. His reputation is steadily growing as a newspaper owner, a publisher on commercial economics. His book, "The Confessions of a Capitalist" (Hutchinson, 18s.), commences with a 'frank confession or "Apology" that he enjoys a very substantial income, owns: two motor-cars, lives luxurious surroundings, and con-

trols a fair sized business. to deal with socialism by exit is my hope, may be found useshould be the concern and study

Failure at School.

plete failure, judged by any accepted standard in educational matters," he entered his father's price and it rose to Y4.85 "in sucking Pigs, to order. The office, as junior office boy, at a August, as new wheat soared to salary of five shillings a week, of | Y10. which he saved half by walking came a successful traveller for the flour price slumped to Y4.20 "Hardware Trade Journal," now one of the most had revived the wheat prices and successful of the Benn properties. the quotation stood at \$1.70 with The story of his rise to his pre- Japanese flour at Y4.87. At one

sent position and an income £10,000 a year makes fascinating reading, but the real value of the book lies in its defence of the capitalist system wisely adminis-

"Whom Do I Rob?" The chapter, "Whom Do . New York markets received by Rob?" is a very fine answer to the the Manila Bureau of Commerce argument that all property should be divided equally. Almost the The cable reports that the sugar most enjoyable part of the "Conmarket was steady with a fair fessions" is Sir Ernest's struggles of business tran with the income tax authorities. of the Sir Ernest really asks whether waiting policy of the refineries. two and a half per cent. on turn-Total sales amounted to 15,000 over is too much for the conbags at 4.11 c.i.f. New York for trolling of a business of £400,000 prompt delivery. Another sale of a year, whether he is worth this 27,000 bags was made for delivery amount as a citizen and as an in the second half of the month employer, and if his business would be more successfully car-

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FLOUR TRADE.

The Japanese Fluctuations.

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was \$2.50 and the Winning quotation reached \$2.18.

Australian wheat was quoted at Y10.50 f.o.b. in Japan in January and rose to Y11.70 in February. quotations naturally

These the Japanese flour affected market, on which the January quotation was Y5.15 and the February price Y5.84. This mark was touched on February 7 and was the highest of the year.

When Europe stopped buying American wheat the Chicago quotation dropped to \$1.80. On March 11 the wheat crop

forecast was announced in America and the price fell still more touching \$1.50. Japanese flour fell in sympathy to Y4.60. Because of the sudden fall in Japanese mills to deliver goods plaining the workings of a capital- and a dispute arose between the ist as illustrated by his own mills and the wholesole dealers. business. He says: "I propose, Because of this, transactions in therefore, to offer myself as a flour were virtually suspended for sacrifice, as it were, upon the altar a time. Later, however, a comof economic truth, to take my promise was effected. In the doings and examine them in the meantime, however, a bumper light of theory—a process which, wheat crop in the United States became assured and the Chicago ful in these days, when the futures price fell as low as \$1.23 economic structure of society for July delivery and Japanese new wheat dropped from Y9:20 to Y8.40 per koku, The flour price accordingly went to Y4.25 during Leaving school at the age of June and July, the months when sixteen and a half years, "a com- the demand for flour is heaviest. A quotation on rice of Y40 per koku tended to stiffen the flour

The subsequent report of a veil to and from the office and finding bumper crop in Canada sent where the best sixpenny lunch wheat prices still lower and could be obtained. By hard work Chicago was quoted at \$1.39 and and the use of a deal of shrewd- Winnipeg at \$1.28. Japanese Bombay, London, New York, ness and common sense, he be- wheat went off to Y8.70. The "Cabinet Maker," and in 1899 was spite of strenuous efforts by the offered by his father the control leading mills to sustain the price. In December, European buying

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PEARL MYSTERY.

VANISHES AFTER TESTING.

A case which had aroused much interest in the jewellery trade ended abruptly at the Old Bailey. William Giles, 45, jeweller, had been committed for trial on charge of attempting to obtain £15 by false pretences in requesting an advance on a pearl, stated at Marylebone Police Court to be

a cultured pearl. Sir Edward Marshall-Hall, K.C., Sig Travers Humphreys, and Mr. Watter Frampton peared for the prosecution, and Sir Henry Maddocks, K.C., Whiteley, K.C., and

A. W. Elkon for the defence. When the case was called, Sin Edward Whishall-Hall said peters produced, which had been in the custody of the police, was not the one which had been tested scientifically, and in these circumstances the prosecution found it impossible to proceed. They therefore offered no evidence.

Wild): What has happened to the original pearl? Sir Edward: That we do not

know. On the Recorder's direction the jury formally returned a ver-

thet of Not Guilty. Sir Henry Maddocks said that until he came into court he no internation of the course to be adopted. The finest experts in the world would have been called be false representation was not pearl.

the was stated that the pearl in court was a different pearl from that which had been scientifically out here," and out she got. examined. Where add it a come very peculiar.

He asked that the costs of the expents for the defence, who had! be allowedt

The Recorder said he had allowed Sir Henry to make his statement, because he thought it only right, as no evidence had been offered against Mr. Giles. The only order he could make was that the expenses properly incurred by the expert witnesses should be

In discharding Mr. Giles, the Recorder said he left the court without a stain on his character.

Messes. Oscar F. Ribeiro and this milk?" Company issue a neat little diary as an advertisement by Messrs. from 'my cow." Eberhard and Company, Swiss | Boulange: "Well, you had better chronometer and watch manu- get one tarpaulin for these cow. facturers.

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THE FIRM-FACED

AN OMNIBUS COMEDY.

Passengers in omnibus were in the stalls, so to speak, at a private performance periments in the destruction of rate of a comedy entitled, or worthy of by being entitled, "The Honest Bus were carried through a few days says the "Daily Mailt."

There are omnibuses omnibuses, of course; there are cil even buses, and this was one of wegether to give the method the latter, having, as buses will, horough and scientific trial. rather a bad morning: lt was being stopped all the time; jerk succeeded herk as it, pulled up at intervals of twenty yards to receive woman after woman, fran-

tically waving an umbrella. The conductor was obviously a little tried. He grew still more tried shortly when a girl said, "You have given me change for a up haff-a-crown.

two shidings."

The Recorder (Sir Ernest pricked up its ears and listened. "Oh, I am sure it was haif-a-

> "No, miss," two shillings. At this point the firm-faced woman sitting on the sear across the aisle from the Lady of the Fiorm must join in. "It was | naff-a-crown; I saw her give it to you," said she to the conductor. Neatly severing her jugular

turned again to the original com- mow to it. It was absolutely deadto say that what was alleged to plainant, who was searching in ity when applied to the holes. her bag. Suddenly, "Oh, conductioned indentally," it was surprising to had not been so much wrong as false representation at, all. They tor, I'm so sorry," came her re- see by the little clouds of emergwould have said that a cultured pendant voice, 'you're quite right. ing gas how very long and widely pearl was in every sense a real I only had the two pieces in silver, ramifying many of the holes were. and here's the half-crown. Please In those dug up for test purposes forgive me. I should have made every rat was dead, and there was certain first. Oh, I've got to get no sign that the death had been

from? It struck him as being on the firm-faced woman, and attempted escape. every passenger in the omnibus | turned on the firm-faced woman. Bus-stopping Association.

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GAS FOR RATS.

DEATH RAPID AND

SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT

PAINLESS

Some singularly successful ex the agency of poisonous gue Conductor, or Never Intervene," ago, (writes Sir W. Beach Thomas in the "Morning Post"). Land and owners, farmers, and County Counrepresentatives have joined

Farms familiar to the writer both Berkshire and Hertfordshire mive been beset this your by rate, which are to be reckaned by the drousand, and indeed, ten thousund. The signs of their presence are blazoned everywhere. Wide and remote stubble fields running to the Berkelijre downs are two-shilling piece and I gave you proseed and recrossed by narrow, pathways, strodden: "Excuse me, miss, you gave me hirmly by the many rate as any of peace must come, and perhaps. theep-puth on the moors. As you it is coming now." The population of the omnibus opproach buildings or stackyards Turning to the subject of his the runs increase, and every bank address, Sir Oliver Lodge said is bunnelled. Many of the stacks that both in America and in Britre so populous that they have even tain people were apt, to think externally an untidy and tousled appearance. Continual trapping has had little effect, though the laily victims were numerous. more wholesale method of extermination had become necessary.

vern with a look, the conductor expectations of those who were painful. It must have come rapid-And then the conductor turned by or the animals would have

A CARDINAL VIRTUE. It was, perhaps, a little less The firm-faced woman stood the sudden in its effect in the stacks. come from the Continent, might silence and the glares for a A few rats fied from it, and some minute, and then as the conductor fell off the walls moribund. But rang his bely she fled, colliding in lever so it is more humane than the doorway with an eager dele- most traps; and the cardinal value gate of the Women's Professional of the method is that it can be applied to the stacks.

> Rais and mice together have been so numerous that they have devoured up to 20 per cent. o some stacks, and fouled a good deal beside. The loss to the country in food alone -- without reckoning the damage to structures-must certainly be reckoned in millions. Most statisticians loss at a figure scarcely credible to those ill acquainted with the rat's voracity and its multitude: It may well be that the Agricultural Committee of the County Councils could give farmers, and indeed, many householders, no more concrete help than by providing apparatus for this method of extermination.

EDNA MAY.

NO HANKERING FOR FOOTLIGHTS.

Miss Edna May (Mrs. Oscar Lewisohn), who will broadcast am introduction to "The Belle New York" confessed that size was "horribly nervous."

"As the Salvation Army lassic 'The Belle of New York' faced packed houses for nearly the imagination. two years, but the prospect of talking to millions of people through the microphone appals

"No, I don't regret leaving the stage. When I said "good-bye' in 1907 I meant it, and, apart from one or two appearances for charity, the footlights were over for me. The lure has vanished.

Since the death of her husband Mrs. Lewisokn has lived in London. "I love it," she said, "and although I am an American, think it the finest capital in the

. "But I have a 'double,' and it woman is well known in society. and facially she is very much like me. But she is just a little older mind was working by evolution. and has silver hair. "The other night I was at the

theatre and my 'double' was a box. I was in the stalls, and between the acts I heard woman say, 'Look !- There's Etlna creator. May-but hasn't she aged!

restaurant. I saw one diner ing in a beginning and an end. pointing out my double as the American young thing who tool London by storm, and is now white-haired millionairess. I am neither a millionairess nor whitehe red, but it was amusing,"

Mrs Lewisohn said that despite attractive offers she will not do any more professional work. and Distress no intention of multiple

ORIGIN OF MAN.

SIR OLIVER LODGE ON

EVOLUTION

TWO THEORIES.

Sir Oliver Lodge, speaking in week, at Christ Church, Westminster, on evolution, referred at the outset of his address to the signature of the Locarno

"We are living to-day," he said, in great historical times. Only yesterday we passed through the greatest war known to history, and the conclusion of that greatest war has witnessed what may prove to be the greatest pact. see in it a sign of hope that the nations are going to stand, or try to stand, together. Mankind might have destroyed itself with nternecine strife, but man has plenty to do in his struggle with Nature, and it is madness for him to struggle with his fellow-man, Man has a great future before him. Sooner or later the dawn

that there was something wrong about evolution, and that it was antithetical to creation. Spencer might have thought that he was replacing a personal process, guided by something like will and intention, by, so to speak, The friel of the gas excelled all mechanical operation among the things themselves. The attempt thus to explain evolution had led to a material philosophy. This [incomplete. As an intermediate step it had been helpful in biology. and was still helpful. LIFEBLOOD OF SCIENCE.

Soon, however, it had been carried too far, so as to exclude mind and purpose from universe. It was now recognised that the theory was insufficient and faulty, and could not provide an explanation. It was a mistake to oppose evolution to creation; it. should be regarded rather as a method of creation. The idea of sudden creation

similarly was erroneous, but it also contained elements of truth. The feeling of antagonism between the two views and the feeling of alarm and dislike of one of them, had survived in certain States of America, and had led to an attempt to suppress the disliked view by legal enactment.

It was not by legal enactment that truth was really served. Freedom was the life-blood of in coffee): "Pierre, where you'get who have taken up the tale put the science, and freedom was only consistent with the power of making mistakes and going wrong, as well as with the power of ascertaining truth and going right. Crudities were not confined to one side of the controversy, and as sectarian differences had limited freedom on the one side, it had secured time also to limit freedom on the other...

In the Biblical account of the Creation contained in the first and second chapters of Genesis there were two different accounts of the same event, and the chapters represented a most poetical description of the origin of all things. They were sometimes erroneously taken as intended to be a description of the facts of the origin of the world. Science, did not go, back to the ultimate origins, but poetry tould outstrip the limits of science; it did not aim at being the precise, and did not appeal to the reason but to

INSPIRATION. but what that 'meant had not language. been defined, which was just as. was. He was certain of and he believed that it was from

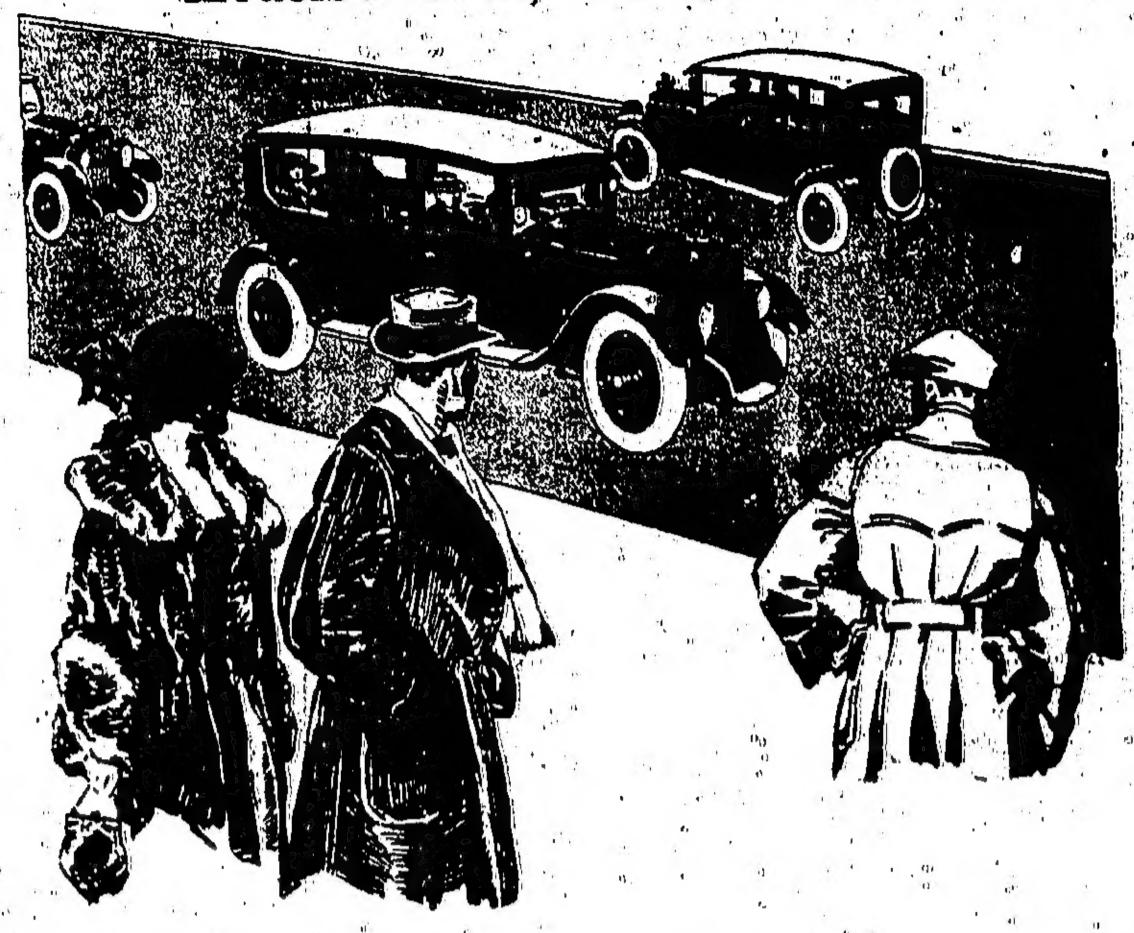
that source that inspiration came. statement was made, that the divine spirit brooded over waters a poetic expression dicative of a mind planning and executing. If people said there making a baseless assertion, but they were right if they said that Only the philosophers of Gulliver's Laputa would imagine that there was no mind at work. The most. automatic of automatic machines one was proof of the mind of its

> Sir Oliver Lodge questioned The same thing happened at a whether we were right in believ-So far as the material world was concerned he believed in a recurrent cycle of events. He believed in regeneration in something of the mature of an eternal

> > Where are you off to.

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"I was astonished the other day: well, as it was not known what it to hear a pretty girl use the most abominable language in a restaurexistence of the spiritual world, ant. I have also heard typists using expressions which one usually considers the exclusive In the first book of Genesis the privilege of the managing direc-

> "As the habit seems likely to spread, cannot something be done to check it at least among the

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He fell! True, it is a moment of overwhelming temptation-her upturned face, with rosy lips 2 purped. But still, as she crept sorrowfully away he told himself that he had been a cad to steal that kiss. Even now he could see the sudden tears in her eyes. His broken apology still rang in the Httle room where the girl lay

sobbing on the couch. The awfull she cried. have not kept up my voice; she Ben Ben going to see the think he should have kissed me at 2 and without that one can doctor. I don't like the look of last and and then said he meant de nothing by it! What does he

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VIEWS OF HARROW'S NEW

Dr. Cyril Norwood, Master of Marlborough College, Wiltshire, who is succeeding the Rev Lionel Ford (Dean-Designate of York) as the headmaster of Harrow School, said to a 'Daily Mail'

reporter: The modern boy is a fine fellow. You can trust him far more than you can trust the modern man. ""

Unfortunately the war has affected his nerves. There is something subtly wrong with the nerves of the boy born during the war. The nerves of the boy born after the war who will be arriving at school in 1927, will be even worse, I am afraid. He will have to be handled carefully.

Dr. Norwood thinks the boy of to-day is so much more civilised than his father was that the birch is going out of fashion.

birch is going out of fashion.

"Swishing" is brutal—a relic of the more barbarous public schools of the 19th century. Caning is quite severe enough.

I am sure that "swishing" will soon be altogether a thing of the past.

I do not know if it is still done at Harrow. If it is it shall have to think very seriously about it. Talking of the success of boys.

It is a curious thing that boys who reach positions of eminence in school often do not succeed so well in after life At the age of 23 the boys who were below them in school have drawn level. At 30 they are in front.

The boy who develops slowly may succeed better than the boy who reaches his climax a

Harrow School is preparing to give the Rev. Lionel Ford a good send off when he leaves at the end of the term on December 21. Subscriptions to a boys' testi-monial fund are being limited to £1 each. There are 644 boys, and a motor-car is being suggested as

a suitable present.

In addition there will be a testimonial from the masters and probably one from the school

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The Earl of Airlie while shooting with a party over his Cortachy estate, at Kirriemuir, Forfarshire. was accidentally

One of his companions dropped a gun and it discharged its contents into Lord Airlie's right foot. An X-rays examination showed 40 pellets in the foot. It is not. expected, however, that permanent injury will result from the accident.

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	OREA"	10,918	3rd April	Marseilles and London
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DI	EVANHA!	8,158	17th April	Marseilles, London & Antworp
K	ALYAN "	9,144	21st April	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
	ACEDONIA"	11,089	1st May	Marseilles & Lendon
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	ALWA"	10,941	29th May	Marseilles and London
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	ELTA"	8,097	7th July	Spore, Parang, Colombo & Bombs;
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"KASHMIR"	8,985	6th Feb.	Changhai and Kobe
"TANDA"	8,968	8th Feb.	Molt, dobs & Yokohama
"TALMA"	10,000	17th Fab.	Kobe
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"KALYAN"	9,144	18th Mar.	Shanghal, Moji and Kobe.
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T. ALBANS	4,500	10th April	Moji Kote and Yokohama
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"KHYBER!	9,114	30th april	Shunghai, Moji and Kobe
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"MALWA"	10,941	14th May	thanghai.
"MANTUA"	10,902	18th May	Rusagasi, Moll and Kobs.
"KARMALA"	9,089	1 th June	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
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To his great disappointment he had not a single application from a British subject who could fulfil the conditions, while from the United States he had numerous applications from men with the Yar. 2.-B. F. necessary qualifications.

Professor H. E. Armstrong, City and Guilds College, South Kensington, said that Britain's Apr. young men of courage and in- | Jan. at. B. L. dividuality, and the present sys- Feb. 18.- N. T. tem of education, with its too great dependence on examina- Feb. b.-P. & tions, was educating all the courage and individuality out of the

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The E. & A. "St. Albans" left. Moji for this port yesterday at p.m. and is due here on Jan. 31 at about p.m.

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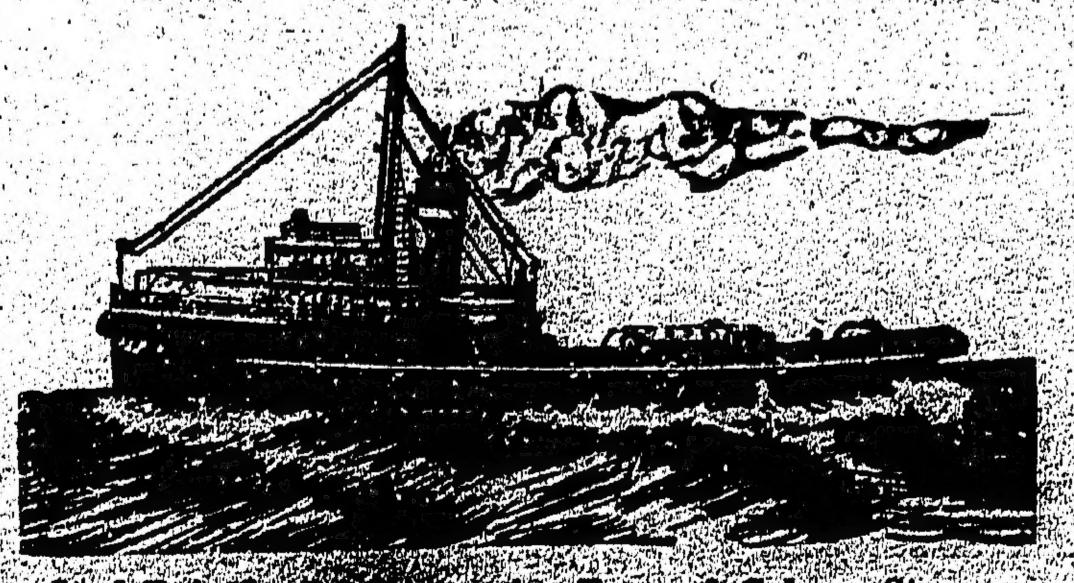
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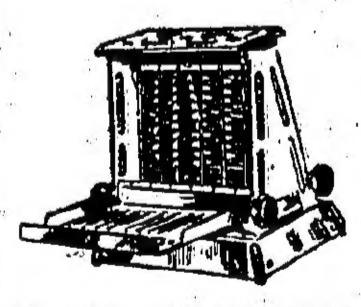
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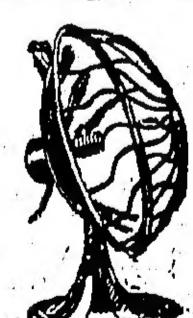
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Hongkong, Thursday, January 28, 1926.

EMPIRE SETTLEMENT.

It is a disturbing thought that made of the British Empire than is being made at the moment; hat had France, America or Germany the same dominions under their control as has Briare free and there is full liberty. There is no repression and citizenship is on a lofty pinnacle. And yet would any other nation let the great open spaces she possesses, remain so while large numbers of her people are idle and hardship as a consequence is rife? Would not another nation similarly situated as Britain is at the present moment. make emigration to her possessions compulsory? The Home Country is saddled with tremendous number of unemployed, which it subsidises, with a generous dole. Commonsense

would seem to dictate that form of transportation is called for. True the question of economics comes the matter. It would be of no earthly use settling people in distant portions of the earth if no gain would ensue, and if the burden would only be removed to other shoulders. But we have the word of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales as to "the Dominions with their virgin regions with possibilities immeasurable" and his appeal for settlement in these regions as a definite career. There is virile Australia with a population that crowds into its main tities leaving a mere handful in the, out is irresponsibility.—President of ernment would agree in principle districts, and allowing an alien influx from southern Europe to engage in such things as sugar- could happen to a man or a nation cane cultivation. The same ahead of the spiritual.—Sir Conan may not apply to Canada and Doyle. South Africa, but each has opportunities for a settlement of bring tears to my eyes,—Hull the right kind of people not to Stipendiary Magistrate. be ignored. The Prince's appeal once more raises the question of of Europe, with its health tended the Empire and its development. It brings into prominence the seemingly insoluble problem of age and we must take care to keep unemployment so dependent in it in a manly state. Mr. St. John present circumstances on a revival of trade and suggests a Has not the time arrived when Welsh hillsides, Eglish villages. benches and calmly produced a remedy. The issue should be the Ministers of Education of the There, must be throughout the small lettuce from her vanity bag. Mariners concerned with the

divertion of the dole attempted in the way of assisting emigrants to settle in places where there is work to be done and where conditions can soon be made leading to health and happiness and that contentment which should be the birthbright of everyone.

Significant?

Hongkong, as well as Shanghai, shipbuilding firms must deel aggrieved at, the news that the tender of the Kiangnan Dock and Engineering Works-a Chinese Government concern—to build six new American gunboats at \$154,000 (gold) each, has been accepted. The quotations of the Hongkong tenderess are not disclosed, but the offers of two wellknown British yards in Shanghai have been turned down, even although these were below the Thus, the Shanghai Works tendered Tis. 184,000. may be alleged by some that this remarkable preference to China is plains the failure of the first pro- ment beforehand by a general or part and parcel of the American policy to placate the Chinese, possibly much more might be with a view to extracting trade concessions more favourable than those granted to the British. Whether it can be condemned as a sop of this nature cannot, course, be advanced until fuller information is forthcoming relating to the reasons actuating the tain, things would be managed acceptance of the higher Chinese differently. Britain prides her- offer to build the six gunboats. self on her freedom. Her people To wait in hope of such informaactually obtain such information are two different propositions. any event, it is no consolation to British tenderers to find that although their 'quotations' are the lowest, they stand little chance in open competition with the Chinese so far as the American naval

THEY SAY THAT-

authorities are concerned.

incident is not a pleasant or

edifying one in its relation to in-

ternational competition; although

it may still be found that a satis-

factory, or at least plausible, ex-

planation is available for the

mere asking. 🔧

I think all motor vehicles travel too fast. - Westminster County Court Judge.

Few women have the skill make clothes for their children nowadays .- North London Magis-

If you take music out of the world I am going with it. Gipsy

Either the nations must scray submarines, bombing deroplanes. and poison gas, or they will scrap civilisation .- Mr. Hudson Maxim. Sooner or later there will be

Locarno for the States of Central

Europs. - Foreign Minister of Czecho-Słovakia, Unhappiness has gone out of

fashion .- Mr. A. B. Walkley.

the United Methodist Church.

The most terrible thing that

Unemployment figures nearly

Locarno should make one family by the League of Nations .- M.

Our language is a manly langu-

CANTON'S REPLY.

REVIEW OF BOYCOTT PARLEYS.

"NO LOCUS STANDL"

Dated January 25, the Canton Government has published a reply to Hongkong's review of the "strike" and "boycott" negotia-

As published in the "Canton "Gazette" the statement reads:-

"The Government at Canton had; from the time that the Hongkong Government showed a desire to commence negotiations with a view to a settlement of the strike, done everything possible to facilitate them. At the same time, it should be remembered that the strike was Instituted by Hongkong workers, not for economic reasons, but as a protest against the British Gov. ernment, primarily for the shooting which took place in Shanghai on May 30 last, and subsequently Court." which the principles were the dividual Senators during instituted, Canton merchants and be approved. workers joined in as principals on the side of the Hongkong workers. not a party to the strike or boy- the United States from cott. Hence any formal negotia- | World Court at any time; sides and the Government could sent of negotiate on a matter outside its States could be rendered powers need only be pointed out less the United States to be appreciated. Obviously the sented; the signature of only capacity in which it could United States could not

participate, if it participated at affixed to the protocol of posal to appoint four Hongkong special Treaty between the merchants and of the second proposal to appoint officials. The

Hongkong Government's reluctance much the more difficult to underquency with which the British and effects settlements with strikers in Britain.

"Although the Government could | questions. not take part except as mediator in any formal negotiations, informally it did much to assist in later came to Canton separated the Ku Klux Klan. strikers' terms into two classes; political and economic, and ex- spectators listened to the debate in pressed reluctance to negotiate the packed galleries. with the strikers on the political terms, the Government agreed to find a formula for their negotiation KAISER'S BIRTHDAY if the economic terms were accepted in principle. Incidentally it SPECIAL SERVICE HELD AT may be mentioned that in the absence of such acceptance the mission of the eight Chinese merchants empowered to negotiate only on the economic terms was foredoomed to failure, aside from. the added reason that the striker sent from the ex-Kaiser's birthcould not see how they could day celebrations, owing, it is benegotiate with representatives of lieved, to objections being raised Hongkong Chinese merchants in consequence of his flight from against whom they had had no Wieringen. grievance and declared no strike. made by the Government facilitate settlement, when

the difficulty of reinstating some of the strikers, reinstatement and strike pay being the so-called economic terms, it agreed to advise the strikers to accept compensation instead, in those cases where reinstatement was actually impossible. Furthermore, it pro-The deadliest poison of our time mised, when the Hongkong Govto the two economic terms, to use all its influence with the strikers

to bring about an early settlement. "These facts show that the is that the intellect should get Government has gone very far in the strikers.

assist the two sides."

racholars have no scholarly lineage. The owner thereupon sat down They come from Highland glens, on one of the blue and white one of patriotism. Experiment subject of school teaching, bit. tapped scholarly talent of the two continued their locality reported on the last trip should chitchily be made and a Horman Angell.

AMERICA IN

ADHERENCE TO WORLD

SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, Jan. 27. The Senate, by 76 votes to 17. has ratified the resolution providing for adherence, to the World

RESOLUTIONS IN THE SENATE.

MULTITUDE OF RESERVATIONS:

Washington, Jan. 27. were moved by the Democrat, Senator Swanson, were carried by 89 votes to one.

> MONROE DOCTRINE. ... Washington, Jan. 27.

Senator Reed was unsuccessful in an effort to add the provision that: "The Monroe Doctrine be classed as the principle of International Law, binding the

for the shooting which took place It is understood that a mul- senting ladies of Hongkong. Miss in Canton on June 23. The strike titude of other reservations are Elma Birkett 582, The Peak, rewas therefore a political one in likely to be proposed by in- presenting "the younger com-Hongkong Government and the next day or two; but it is not workers; when later a boycott was anticipated that any of them will

WHAT WAS APPROVED Other reservations, The Government at Canton, though | were approved overwhelmingly, deeply interested in the issue, was provided for the withdrawal of tions taking place ought to be be- the statutes of the Court could tween the principals on the two not be amended without the conthe United States have no locus standi in them. The "advisory opinions" must be absurdity of the Government ap- | rendered publicly, and no such pointing plenipotentiaries to opinion affecting the United price of the Chinese Government all, was that of a mediator, and Court until other nations, memthis was pointed out to the Hong- bers of the Court, had accepted Dock and Engineering Company kong Government. But the Hong- the American reservations; and tendered \$107,500 (gold) and the kong Government was unwilling to recourse to the Court for the New Engineering & Shipbuilding negotiate directly with the strikers settlement of differences between It and merchants and desired to deal the United States and any other with the Government. This ex- State could be had only by agree-

> NO ENTANGLEMENTS! The Senate also approved the to deal with the strikers is so statement that adherence to the Court should not be construed as stand, having in view the fre- requiring the United States to depart from her traditional Government negotiates directly, policy of opposition to entangling alliances or from her traditional attitude toward purely American

parties to the dispute.

Talking Marathon,

Washington, later, The drastic application of the bringing about an early settlement. | closure failed to stem the current When the Governor of Hongkong of debate as the hour approached expressed a desire that a member | to take a final vote. Old conof the Government should visit troversies as regards the League, him in order to have a preliminary the policies of ex-President Wilson, and informal exchange of views, and many other issues were raised one of its most important officials again, and once or twice during was sent at once for that purpose. the debate touched on the ques-When the Hongkong official who tion of religious tolerance and the

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DOORN.

(Reuter's Service.)

Amsterdam, Jan. 27. The ex-Crown Prince was ab-

A special service was held in As a further instance of the efforts the ex-Kaiser's house at Doorn, which was attended by Princess. Hermine, Princess. Louise, her Hongkong Government pointed out husband and children; Prince Henry of Prussia; and Princess Margaret of Hesse.

[The following was cabled from. Amsterdam on January 23:-It is reported that the Netherlands Government has agreed to allow the former Crown Prince of Germany to visit Doorn on the anniversary of the ex-Kaiser's birth-

Strollers on the terrace outside using its good offices to facilitate the Casino at Monte Carlo were matters between Hongkong and startled to see a beautifully dressed woman clad in deep rose with "The Government is still animat- touches of gilded leather, who ed by the same sincere desire to led by a long chain of gold and see an early settlement and is platinum a large tortcise. The ready to continue its efforts to animal's shell had been completely gilded over, and shimmered brilliantly in the blazing sun.

It showed no hurry to get to the tables, and presently stopped

majestic progress.

OVER SEAS LEAGUE.

REORGANISED LOCAL BRANCH,

SECRETARY LEAVES.

secretary to the Overseas League, is leaving the colony to-day. His visit has been very successful and many new members have been enrolled. ' He has arranged for a Committee to continue the work of the League in the Colony and hopes that they will be able to do much to forward the objects which the League has in

Enquiries may be addressed to members of the committee, who The Senate reservations, which will be glad to give any information desired.

Mr. G. R. Edwards has consented to act as the official secretary for the Hongkong branch of the

Following are the officers of the League in Hongkong.

Honorary Vice-Presidents, H.E. Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G. and Lady Clementi; Committee, Mrs. H. W. Bird, 27, The Peak, reprethe munity, Mr. J. Bullock, Colonial Secretary's Office, representing the government service, Mr. B. R. Forster, private secretary to H.E. the Governor representing H.E. the Governor, Mr. G. R. Edwards, Messrs. Dodwell & Co. Ltd., representing the commercial firms, Mr. S. J. Jordain, Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., representing Kowloon, Mr. S. T. Williamson, Messrs. Williamson

& Co., representing shipping. Lieut.-Colonel T. A. Robertson, Hongkong Club, representing the Hongkong. Club. Majer Macready, D.S.O., military headquarters, representing the military, Mr. A. S. Abbott, Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ltd., representing stores, Mr. R. L. Moncrieff, Hongkong & Shanghai Banking 'Corporation representing the banks.

TROOPS REVOLT.

PEKING-HANKOW TRAFFIC

RAILWAY, CUT.

STOPPED.

(Reuter's Service.)

. Hankow, Jan. 26. There is a complete stoppage of regular traffic on the Peking-Han-

kow Railway. It is rumoured that the line has been cut between Kioshan and

Meanwhile there are extensive troop movements from Hankow

to Honan, troop trains leaving hourly this morning. Troops from other sections of Hupeh are concentrating here.

It is reported from Honan that large numbers of troops revolted against the Kuominchun (General Feng Yu-hsiang's party). They are calling themselves the Tzechichun or self-governing army and combining with the Hupeh

Northern Expedition.



MISS MARKIC WILLAW

With her son, Harry Kenjail Thaw, at her bedside, Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, venerable widow of the strel magnate, is dying at her residence in Pittsburgh.

made one of practical politics design most alert nations length and breadth of our land with which she fed and enticed Hainan Straits should note the

ITALIAN DEBT SETTLEMENT.

GENEROUS CONCESSIONS BY BRITAIN.

CEMENTING FRIENDSHIP BONDS.

Further Step In The Reconstruction of Europe.

Another step on the way to post-war recovery was reached by the signing in London yesterday, of the Debt Agreement between Italy and Great" Britain, the latter making generous concessions which, in the words of Mr. Winston Churchill, will further coment the unbroken bonds of friendship between the two nations and mark .a further advance in the reconstruction of Europe.

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DETAILS EXPLAINED.

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BALFOUR NOTE PRINCIPLE.

principle, Mr. Churchill remark-

ed that up to the present Great

Britain had paid the United

ceived from reparations £25,000,-

He proceeded to examine the

settlement in relation to the pari

passu principle, and for this pur-

pose, he said, comparison with

the settlement made between

Italy and the United States be-

many points of the dispute about

what would actually constitute

considered; and the other points

actuarial calculations inappro-

'A WIDE DISCRETION.

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TERMS DISCLOSED.

(British Wireless Service.)

The British-Italian Debt agreement was signed this morning at the Treasury by Mr. Winston Churchill, British Chancellor ment, was of a most generous the Exchequer, and Count Volpi. Italian Minister of Finance.

The agreement provides that Italy shall pay two millions sterling in the current financial ment would cement the long and year; four millions in each of the mext two years; and four and a quarter millions in the succeeding years until 1986-87.

The payment will be made in sterling half-yearly, the payment taking place on March 15 next.

Italy will issue and deliver to the British Treasury by February 20 bonds in respect of each of the payments provided for, which are to be free of all Italian

postponing such part of any of the half-yearly instalments falling due on or after September 15 1928, as exceeds the sum of one million pounds for not more than two years, but only on condition hat the instalments falling due in the second succeeding year cannot be postponed until the instalments due for two years and one year previously have been paid in full. Postponed payments shall bear interest at five per cent, per annum

AN IMPORTANT CLAUSE. Italy's total net · · An important clause of the agreement provides that, if at | amounted to about £572,000,000. any time it appears that aggregate payments effectively "re- by which the annuities for received by Great Britain ander payment would be made, the Allied debt funding agree- Churchill remarked that ments and on account of repara- meant that moractically tions or of liberation demands. British Treasury would receive exceed the aggregate payments \$24,000,000 annually for 62 years. effectively made by Great Britain The Italian Government, he to the Government of the United added, took the sole responsibili-States of America in respect of ity for those payments, which war debts, an account shall be were not dependent on the drawn up by the British amount received by Italy from Treasury, interest at five per reparations. cent, being allowed on both sides of the account. If that account shows that the receipts to the clause in the agreement would not guarantee that all of exceed the payments, Great Bri- dealing with the Balfour Note them would not be prosecuted. tain will credit Italy, against the payments next due by Italy, with such proportion of that excess as the payments effectively States £100,000,000, and had remade by Italy bear to the aggregate sums effectively received by 000 and nothing from war debts. Great Britain under all Allied war debt funding agreements. Thereafter a similar account will be drawn up by the British Treasury each year, and any further excess of receipts over payments shall each year give come necessary. But there were rise to a credit to Italy of her proportion of such excess,

On the other hand, any deficit pari passu, and in the case of shall be made good by an in- the American debt there was no crease in the payments next due question of a gold deposit to by Italy up to a similar proportion of such deficit within the limit of the total amount credits already allowed to Italy priate. under this article.

DISPOSAL OF GOLD DEPOSITS. ed the relative importance that Finally, the agreement stipu- was to be attached to early paylates that the sum of £22,200,- ments against late large pay-000 in gold, belonging to ments. On strict actuarial Italy, which was deposited under caculations ". the the agreements of 1915 against tlement was the Italian debt, will be retained less favourably, but it was by Great Britain as a non-inter- more favourable est bearing deposit, and will be passu basis for the next 22 released to Italy as to the sum of years, and much more so in the £1,000,000 in eight equal half- immediate future. yearly instalments, commencing on September 15, 1928, and terminating on March 15, 1932, Mr. Churchill said that the XX/ITH reference to the Notice and as to the balance in equal Cabinet had left him a very half-yearly instalments com- wide discretion in these negotia- Company dated 29th October, mencing on September 15, 1932, tions, and had directed him to 1925, whereby the Final Call of and terminating on September have regard to various other con- \$5.00 per share on the New Shares 15, 1987, provided always that siderations, such, for example; was made payable on 1st February. all annuities due under the agree- as the whole of British relation- 1926, instead of 2nd November.

Happy Relations With Italy.

Before the signatures were appended to the agreement short debt repayments, and, although speeches were made by Mr. no legally binding offers had Winston Churchill and Count

Mr. Churchill said that the British Government, in leaving him a wide discretionary power These and other considerations in the pegotiations, had desired made actuarial calculations and him to take into consideration comparison with the American the whole course of Great Bri- settlement difficult, if not impostain's happy relations with Italy sible.

FIRST APPRECIABLE RELIEF. Concluding, Mr. Churchill remarked that the settlement constituted the first appreciable relief that Great Britain had received in respect of her debt, and it had not been obtained at the price of bitterness. It would probably rather cement the goodwill that had hitherto existed between the two countries.

"CELEBRATING EVENT:

GOLDSMITHS' COMPANY BANQUET.

Rugby, Jan. 27. In celebration of the signature this morning of the agreement for funding the Italian War Debt to Britain of £460,000,000. a banquet to Count Volpi, and Mr. Winston Churchill has been

PRESS EULOGIES.

WELL RECEIVED IN ROME.

(Reuter's Service.)

The entire Press eulogises the agreement made between Italy establishment of Italy's credit on a secure and stable basis, and and Great Britain, the proceed that the concessions which Great ings at which concluded in an Britain had made would be more atmosphere of great cordiality.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

SWARAJISTS AND POLITICAL PRISONERS.

ASSEMBLY MOTION CARRIED.

(Reuter's Service.)

He pointed out that the Italian Delhi, Jan. 27. sterling bills falling due at The Assembly by 53 votes to various dates, and held by Great Britain to the amount of 45 carried the Swarajist motion £610,840,000, represented a value asking for the release of a at the present time of £592,000, political prisoners detained with 000. When allowance was made out trial and urging for the trial for Great Britain's obligation to under ordinary law of persons release £22,200,000 deposited by against whom the Government had sufficient evidence to go to debt Court; and the removal of the difficulties in the way of Indian exiles returning to India. Having dealt with the method

> NO GENERAL AMNESTY. Sir Alexander Muddiman, the Home Member, claimed that the Bengal Ordinance had succeeded; for not a single outrage had occurred after Government had acted under it. The Government could not indulge in the luxury of a general amnesty, but if deserving cases were brought to

his notice, he would consider them favourably. The Government would not oppose Indian In making passing reference exiles returning to India; but, it

RUBBER PROFITS.

ENQUIRY INTO AMERICAN INDUSTRY.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE WANTED.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, Jan. 27. Mr. Eugene Black (Democrat, Texas) introduced a motion in the House of Representatives authorising the appointment of a special committee of the House to investigate the profits of 'the American rubber industry. He added that the Commerce Committee enquired only "foreign monopolies."

NOTICE.

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YY to the Shareholders of this ment have been integrally paid ship with Italy before, during 1925, the General Managers and and since the war. That rela- Consulting Committee have detionship had been one of un-cided, in view of the conditions broken friendship and cordial prevailing at present to further co-operation in many fields. He extend the time for payment of had also to remember that on this Call. various occasions previous

Notice is accordingly hereby British Governments had tenta- given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 1st April, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already cent-tobeen made, the proposals tender- Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 1st April, 1926,

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LIBERAL SPLIT.

DEFECTION OF SIR A. MOND. Water Barren LORD OXFORD'S REPLY.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, Jan. 27,

Lord Oxford, in a letter to Sir Alfred Mond, M.P. for Carmarthen. whose resignation from the Liberal Party was announced yesterday, urgency of the housing problem in expresses regret that before Scotland, where housing arrears publicity was given to Sir Alfred were not being overtaken but Mond's letter, he (Lord Oxford) were being increased. He felt

Lord: Oxford's letter adds: "The land policy of the party is, as you they could provide, rapidly and at know, to be the subject of full and reasonable prices, suitable housentirely unfettered discussion next ing which would serve the arranged for to-night when the month at a representative confer- people until ordinary methods of Goldsmiths Company will be ence I am not aware what rea- building could catch up with the sons you have for presupposing necessities of the situation what its conclusions will be."

Steel Houses.

discussing the matter, with him.

The defection from the ranks of his followers of Sir Alfred Mond is undoubtedly a severe blow to agency of the Scottish National Mr. Lloyd George. Sir Alfred has Housing Company 2,000 steel revolted on more 'solid grounds than the other recalcitrants in the Liberal Party, who have been actuated almost entirely motives of personal dislike of Mr. George. When a man of the undoubted business acumen of Sir Alfred Mond disapproves so strongly of the land scheme as to take the step he has done, in spite of his long association with the promulgator of the scheme, it is a matter for serious consideration. Sir Alfred Mond objects to it because it would involve a huge bureaucratic system of land controll It may be pointed out, howeyer, that while there is this strong dissent, there is also a remarkable It looks as if the scheme will de-

DECENT HOUSING.

GOVERNMENT'S SCHEME IN SCOTLAND.

A GRAVE EMERCENCY.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, Jan. 27. In his speech at Stirling last night, the Prime Minister (Mr. Stanley Baldwin) emphasised the was not afforded an opportunity of that the time had come to meet the grave emergency.

lieved that by alternative methods. Steel Houses.

They had arranged, as a Government, to build through the houses. All preliminary arrangements had been made. The sites had been selected and constructional work would shortly

The Congested Areas.

The allied question of dealing with congested areas in great towns was engaging the attention of the Government. It realised the difficulties and would attempt to | surmount them, for decent housing was the foundation both of decent life and social peace.

unanimity of opinion amongst cide once and for all the fortunes numerous people of all, shades of lof the Liberal Party. If sufficient political colour who believe that enthusiasm can be aroused for it some such reform as that put in the country, there will be a forward by the Liberal Party is ichance of retrieving the fortunes. necessary. For instance, a of Liberalism. On the other hand, scheme, possessing very similar if the scheme arouses greater disfeatures has been advanced by sension than agreement, it will Messrs. Orwen and Peel, who have | equally unquestionably prove to be approached the matter entirely the last straw on the back of the from a Conservative point of view. Liberal camel.]

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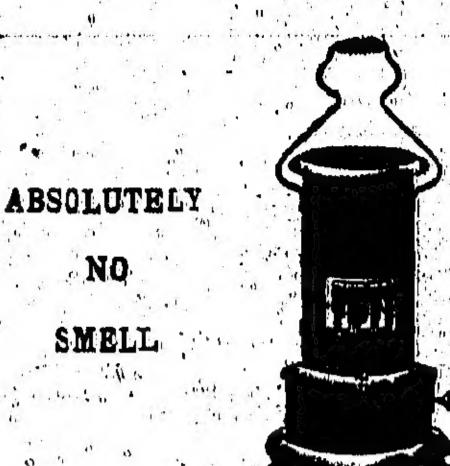
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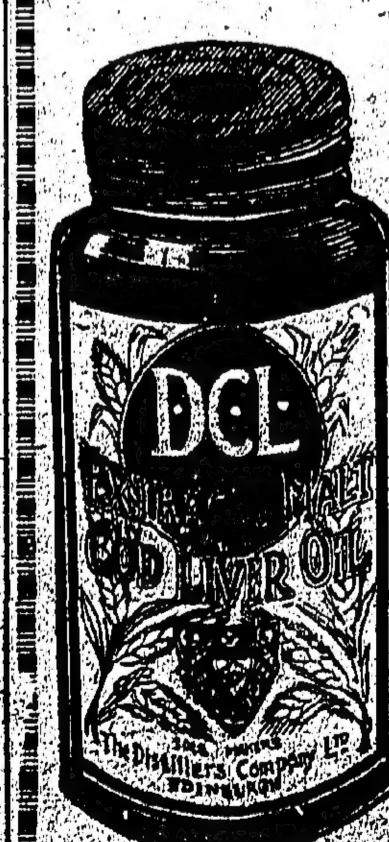
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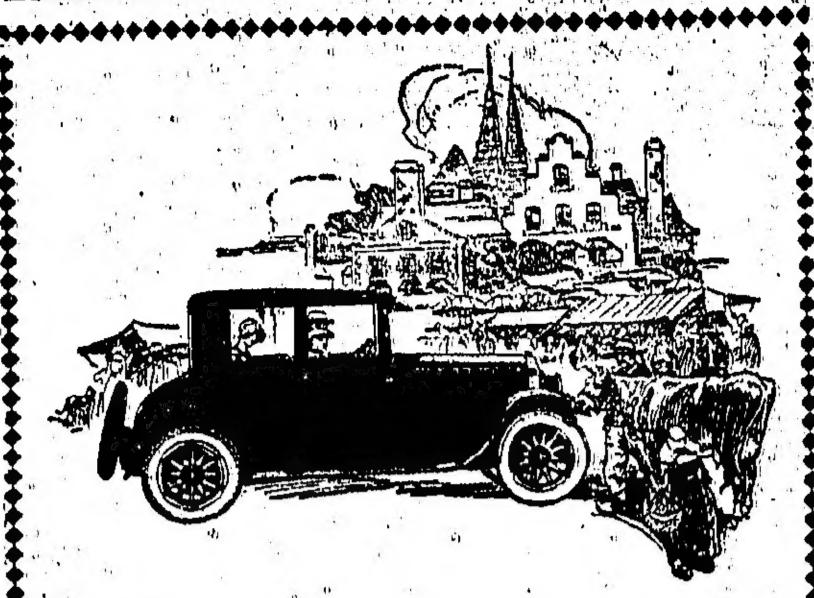
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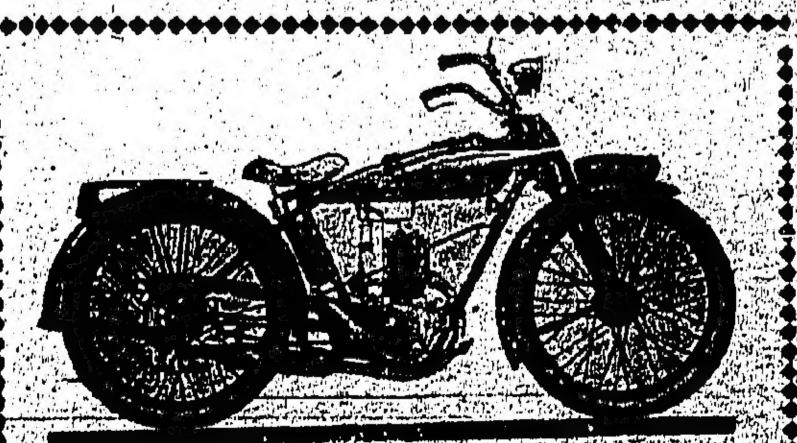
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The annual meeting of the Kowloon Rusidents' Association is to be held on February 22.

The return of notifiable diseases for the 24 hours ended of diphtheria.

The northern part of Japan has been experiencing snowstorms this month which are described as the heaviest seen for 35 years.

The Nan Yuan Golf Course in making the third links in Peking. The course at present rumbers nine holes but arrangements have been already started to enlarge it

.Tho "Court System of Great Britain" was the subject of a lecture given yesterday, at the allowances. Chinese Y.M.C.A., Shanghai, by Mr. R. G. McDonald of the firm of Teesdale, Newman and McDonald Trincomalee to Calcutta, sighted London, in a sories of talks on courts of the brigantine Delhi, 331 tons, Highest temperature 57 degrees in the various nations represented in derelict, and a danger to naviga-Shanghai

There will be a rully of Singapore Boy Scouts at Government House on Saturday January 30; at 4.15 p.m., at which the sank half an hour after striking a December 24-27 never entirely Malaya, will be presented with the result of the engine-room being Guillemard will distribute the salderly Bengall Mohammedan. trophies for 1925.

self submitted a poem.

bricklayer and build houses for for myself.

Tuesday shows one Chinese case kong Chinese General Chamber of Commerce meets at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow (Friday) to discuss matters of importance.

2,000 barrels of coaltar for the Malacca Municipality and P.W.D. value of the coffin is estimated at and it is understood that a heavy £40,000. Peking was opened on January 17, | programme of road construction is to be carried out this year.

> the "Times" for an assistant Djocia. On reaching home, he rising to \$680; with transport veyed to the Military Hospital,

tion. The Cairo towed her to Lowest, 8 degrees (24 degrees of Trincomalee under circumstances of considerable difficulty.

Chief Scout for Mulaya, H.B. Sir rock off Ceylon a fortnight ago. Laurence N. Guillemard, K.C.M.G., All the boats were lowered within K.C.B., and Lady Guillemard, will twenty-five minutes of the crash. be present. On this occasion Mr. The lights failed about tem Frank C. Sands, Commissioner for minutes after the collision, as a M.E.E., decoration and parchment, | flooded. Only two lives were lost "Malay Mail," know the Mission and after various displays by -those of Master Abeywardene to Seamen collecting boxes which the several local troops, Lady and the Captain's servant-boy, an

More than 26,000 poems, were cancer theory advanced last July They are as follows:-1922, \$47.99; submitted for the annual Japanese by Dr. W. E. Gye and J. E. 1923, \$20.98; 1924, \$29.98; 1925, Imperial poetry contest held at the Barnard, it was disclosed that six \$21.78. Curiously enough donors Imperial Palace on January 18. London physicians had been seem to have been more numerous. The 10 best poems were to be inoculated with living cancer in slump years than in prosperous presented to the Empress for her germs and that not one of them ones-but perhaps they had then perusal. More than 100 contri- showed any indication of the dis- fewer calls on their purses. butions came from Japanese living case: The Gye-Barnard theory is The Mission to Seamen does good in California, Hongkong, Singa- that cancer is caused by a non- work in providing Homes for pore and other parts of the world. filterable virus which is harmless sailors at the great ports and in Among the contributors from if a certain chemical agent, called protecting them from the land abroad was Mrs. Matsudaira, wife by Dr. Gye the "specific factor," sharks; male and female, who of the Japanese Ambassador to the is absent. The physicians were would quickly deprive them of United States. The Empress her- inoculated with the cancer germ their earnings, and is well deminus the "specific factor."

Willesden defendant: I am a With two Magistrates sit ting together at the Kowloon other people, but cannot get one Court yesterday, a Chinese was sentenced to three years' hard labour on a charge of unlawful The committee of the Hong- possession of a revolver and five rounds of ammunition.

Eight: men were required to carry the coffin of Tutankhamen, which was brought to Cairo from There has lately arrived over Luxor and is now in the Cairo The intrinsic gold

A native picked up what appeared to be a lead pencil outside An advertisement appears in the Assistant Resident's office at health officer for the Municipality tried to open the pencil. There of Singapore, unmirried, not over was an explosion in consequence thirty. Salary \$600 per month, of which the finder had to be constates the Sumatra Bode.

H.M.S. Chiro, on her way from | Some Christmas records in

frost) in 1860. Never more than 6 degrees of frost since 1906.

The steamer "Lady McCullum" Never entirely sunless since 1912. without rain or snow since 1907. Worst snowstorm, Boxing Day, 1886 (9 to 14 inches in suburbs). Five Christmas fogs this century.

Most people here, says the are placed in the Selangor Club and in the bar at the Station, and therefore the figures for the past With a view to testing the few years may be of some interest.

serving of public support.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

by the "President Madison."

Mr. F. W. Mackie, of the firm of Pearson, Mackle, Atwell & Co., in Kobe, expects to leave the latter part of this month for a trip to England and Scotland.

Mr. H. Edwin, V. Andrews of the C.I.M., Chefoo, was married to Miss Grace A. Funk of the A.B.C.F.M., Shaowu, Fukien, .on January 19 at Foochow.

The memorial hospital erected by the Chinese for the late Father Angelicus Melotto, of the Roman Catholic Mission, . who was killed by bandits in Hupeh in 1923, was opened on January 14 by Marshal representatives.

request that this money should be ling a chogan erect. divided between St. Andrew's and St. George's Societies in memory of Mr. Eric M. Ross, who had at one time been Vice-President of the former institution. We have the "Times" of Malaya: "I can- uncle, Baron de Beck of the forwarded \$82 to the hon, treasurers of each society.

Mr. Musso's numerous contacts in out the collection. China. Mr. Musso is a member of the legal firm of Musso and Fischer and was one of the captives in the Shantung bandit outrage a few years ago.

Those elected to seats on the

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the Colony yesterday from Manila ed secretary of the Selangor Turi seven members of the supreme na-

Mr. Basil de Souza, a student of the King Edward VII College of Medicine, and the second son of Dr. F. O. B. de Souza, of Singapore, went home on the 15th instant by the P. and O. mai. steamer Macedonia to continue and complete his medical education at the Edinburgh University, where his father studied as Queen's scholar from the St Joseph's Institution.

Kuala Lumpur, has been favoured tance overseas flying and will Hsiao Yao-nan in the presence of with an order to design in silver describe strange and varied ex-Chinese and foreign officials and the Coat of Arms for H.H. the periences which he and his Sultan of Pahang's car. The de- mechanician, Campanelli, had Says the "N.-C. Daily News": a Chogan between two elephant coasts, in hitherto unknown basins We have received a cheque for tusks crossed surrounded by an and rivers and in their reception 154, contributed by the staff of eastern crown. Argent supporters and departure from many capitals Mesers. Lowe, Bingham & on either side a sea lion. Argent, of the Orient. Matthews, accompanied by a \$10 crimed, finned and tufted and note, given anonymously, with the gorged with a collar each support-

not say yet what Malaya has collected for the Poppy Fund, but it wine business with headquarters certainly will be far in excess of in Rome. The young Baroness de-According to an announcement last year-probably in the neight cided to develop the business in made prior to his departure from bourhood of £9,000. Earl Haig London, so she rented offices and Shanghai, Mr. G. D. Musso who is writes that it is too soon to fore formed a limited company with en route for Italy at the present, cast the amount raised by the herself as the chief director. This time where he will spend about Poppy Day appeal; but the returns was four months ago, and the six months, pluns to publish a show that the claims of distressed Baroness says she is doing splenbook dealing with certain phases ex-Service men and their depend didly, although she had no preof China before his return. The ants received generous support: book will be published in Italy and He thanks those who subscribed promises interesting feature of and all who assisted in carrying

Mr. W. G. Goggin returned to Mr. T. L. Fox has been appoint. Senate President Quezon and tional council left on an extensive tour through Mindanao on January

> Mr. Grant Jones will be returning to Hankow as Vice-Consulshortly, Mr. Ogden being transferred to Kiukiang and Mr. Davidson leaving that port for Peking, states the "Central China Post." The log of the "Savoin," the fly-

ing boat in which Commander de Pinedo made the 55,000-kilometer flight from Home, around Australia, to Tokyo and return, will soon appear in a book written by the popular aviator. The book will Mr. P. H. Hendry, jeweller of contain valuable notes on long dissign is as follows:-Arms Sable, together in landing on foreign

A titled girl of nineteen is running a wine business in London and with it a luncheon club for business men. She is the daughter of an English Army officer and Mrs. F. Garland Ipoh, writes to lately succeeded to the title of an Papal aristocracy, who owned a

Mr. E. J. Phillips of Smith, Bell and Company, Manila, and Mrs. Phillips have just returned from an extended trip abroad Mrs. Phillips was president of the Captain Albert B. Armitage, Monday Musical Club of Manila R.N.R., of the P. and O. well- last year. Their trip, took them i known to many travellers to and through Java, Holland, England from the Straits, has retired from and the States. They spent shout Shanghai French Municipal Coun- active service at sea, and has 10 days in Java While in Holland taken to authorhip. He has been they spent considerable time in a sailor for forty-six years a Amsterdam. They were instrenuous period which included Engladd for the summer, vielling, five years of Polen exploration Wembley at the great exhibition With Boot and Shackleton. His of the British Empire. Their book, Cader to Commodore bas travels in the States took them ! The votes of those not elected recently been published and be I the Massachusens to California. Toy lectures out our world bravely considerable time was spent in

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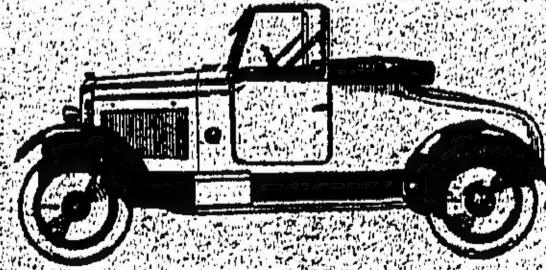
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AN EARLY BAROMETER

[By "Putrol."]

[Readers will be able to make their own deductions as to early form, in the following, for the for the British Empire heavyannual races (March 1, 2, 3 and

· Wagering has already started on Mors. the main events.

the Maidens & Valley; Maidens & Derby; and the Valley & Dorby: For the Muidens & Valley, the following "prices" have been quoted:-

Abstinence 6/1 against. Saucy Sue " and Abstinence 6/1.

Glorious Dahlia and Total Abstinence 10/ E. King of England and Total

Abstinence 100, 6. Any other (in Maidens) and Total Abstinence 1000/40.

couple bar Total Ару Abstinence (in Valley) 1000/14. The Maidens & Derby :-

The field 33/1 against. The Valley & Derby :--Total Abstinence and Saucy Sue 8/1.

Total Abstinence and Grey Steel 10/1 against. Total Abstinence and King of England 1000/9:"

Total Abstinence and any other 1000/40; Polly 1000/14,

Any couple bar Total Abstinence tin Valley), 1000/9. The treble (Maidens, Valley & Mitchell

Derby);-Sue, Total Abstinence, and Saucy | berstone . (Surreys),

Those entered in the Maidens | Macklesworth (Surreys) (6 furlougs) on the first day are in the Berby. The Valley Stakes | tain (Police). (6 furiongs), also on the first day, is for "subscription griffins," a pretty strong, the only weak few of which are also in the Derby. place being at left back, but The Derby (11/2 miles) on the Wheeler can be depended on to go second day is for all griffins.

NAVAL CRICKET.

INTERESTING "HAWKINS" MATCH.

"Young" Sprinters" in a cricket match on mented on adversely,

It was laid down that batsmen reaching 50 runs were to retire. One on each side came under this rule.

Lt.-Com. Armitage hit 3 sixes and let. Halsey one. "Old Cripples."

Com. Gray, b Stephenson Com. Pott. c & b Hussey ... Com. Thomas, c de Berry, b Stephenson Surg. Com. Hawkins, c & b Wilson Lt.-Col. Cantrell, c Wauch-

Lt. Com. Bower, st. Halsey, Lt.-Com. Bindloss, b

Stephenson 9 LL-Com. Mack, c Stephenson, b Yoeman, 2 lit.-Com. Bush, c Wilson, b Pay Lt.-Com. Green, not out

Bowling Analysis.

Stephenson .. 10 Nave Edmonstone Wilson "Young Sprinters,"

Pay Lt. Nave, b Lake, Pay Lt. Hussey, retired Sub-Lt. Veriker, c Bower, b Lake" Lt. Walker, & Thomas, b. Lt. Browne, c&b

Mack Yeoman, st. Armitage, b. Capt. de Berry, run out Pay Sub-Lt. Wilson, l.b.w., b Lake Mid. Stephenson, l.b.w., b

Lake Lt. Edmonstone, c. & b Lake Lt. Wauchope, l.b.w., b Lake

HOME BOXING.

EMPIRE HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE.

PHIL SCOTT BEATS COOK.

(Reuter's Service.)

Edinburgh, Jan. 27.

The boxing, over twenty rounds, weight championship, was witnessed by nearly 20,000 specta-

Phil Scott beat the Australian The three chief "doubles" are champion George Cook who was disquaimed in the eighteenth round for holding.

It was a poor right, mostly of chuches.

Cook was repeatedly warned holding. He floored Scott in the tourth round for a count of eight but thereafter Scott improved with suit rights to the head and lace and lests to the ribs.

There was no surprise when the referee intervened in the eighteenth round, disqualifying

HONGKONG'S INTERPORT SELECTION.

TEAM FOR SHANGHAL

The final selection of the Interport soccer team took place last evening and the following were Total Abstinence and Pretty selected to represent Hong-

Rodger (Club); Wynne (Police) captain, Wheeler (Kowloon); (Surreys), Stewart (Club), Bristowe (Surreys); The field 1000/14 (bar Saucy Charlesworth (Surreys), Hum-Gosano

Reserves to travel:-Howard

On paper this eleven looks all out in the game, and the absence of a left kick should not handicap him much. The halfback line is strong and will want some beating. The vanguard is a line that, given any opportunities, will take advantage of them. The scarcity of civilian players in this team is, however, a very noticeable fact, and is bound to be com-

SOUTH CHINA'S TOUR.

The South China Athletic Asso- 83, 306. ciation has received an invitation to visit Shanghai at China New Year to take part in the China o championship games there. They Lt.-Com. Armitage, retired 50 will leave Hongkong by the same 77, 311. 3 boat as the Interport team on February 9. In view of this fact 314. 10 a trial game is to take place on the Club ground at 4 p.m. on Satur-31 day, the teams being, Hongkong Interport XI v. South China ope,b de Berry 43 National team (to visit Shang- 319. hai). This game will be a fine 39 trial between both representative 321. Capt. Lake, b Stephenson ... 13 teams and will be worth watch-

For the final trial game on the "O Club ground yesterday, several 78, 831. o changes were made from the 12 Original teams chosen. The teams lined out as follow:-

Whites: — Rodger; Wynne, Xavier, Leung Yuk-tong, Stewart, Bristowe; Taylor, Pulford, Howard, Butler, Macklesworth. Colours: - Wavish; Wheeler, o Jordan; Mitchell, Sims, McKelvie;

Humberstone, 82, 348. Charlesworth, 1 Gosano, Suen Kam-shun, Hayes. The first fifteen minutes saw a 85, 36 10. very poor display on both sides, and, it was evident that over-

38 anxiety was responsible for a lot. Lt. C. F. H. Hudson 90, 92, 89, team in grounds they have hardly The Colours were the first to score, Gosano heading Wavish from a centre from 355. Charlesworth.

For the other side Butler had several good chances, but missed, although two of his shots deserved a better fate. Pulford equalised later in the first half, and the teams crossed over with the score one goal all.

5 The Colours were handicapped 873. by the absence of Suen Kam-shun 10 who left the field after fifteen Martin Cruz, W. E. Little, J. B. 0 minutes' play and did not return. McGreavey of the Surreys turn- Whitaker, T. W. Wright. 19 complete the team but made not

appreciable difference to their at-Tootal 157 tack, Play in the second half was very scrappy and did not impress | selection M. R. W. one as being up to representative any ear der so they can

HOME SOCCER.

SCOTTISH F. A. CUP PROGRESS.

REPLAYS AND ROUND 2.

(Router's Service.)

Remlays to-day in the first round of the Scottish F. A. Cup

resulted :--Hearts 1, Dundee United 1. Airdrieonians 7, Queen of South 0. Morton 4, Dykehead 1, . Buckle Thistle 1, Dumbarton 2.

Second Round Draw. The draw for the second round to be played on February 6 resulted; Hibernians v. Airdrieonians. Boness v. Bathgate. Falkirk v. Montrose. Aberdeen v. Dundee. Morton v. Raith Rovers.

Celtic, v. Hamilton. Third Lanark v. Leith Athletic. Stenhousemuir v. Rangers. St. Johnstone v. Queen's Park. Solway Star v. Brechin City. Arbroath v. St. Mirren. Forfar Athletic v. Dumbarton.

Arthurlie v. Clyde.

Hearts. Partick v. King's Park, Albion Rovers v. Peebles Rovers.

Alloa v. Dundee, United or

LAWN TENNIS.

BRITAIN LOSES TEST. TO S. AFRICA.

NOW "ALL SQUARE."

Cape Town, Jan. 27. South Africa defeated Britain in (Recreio). Butler (Surreys), the third and last lawn tennis Test Mitchell (captain) went into the discuss principally whether

[Note: Britain's "mixed" team "griffins," most of which are also (Club), Sims (Kowloon), Bri- won the first Test and the second A. A. Dand went up to half-back. was drawn.

MANILA GOLF.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP DECIDED:

SCORES IN DETAIL.

In the Philippines open golf championship played last week at the Manila Golf Club, course (5,974 yards), the competitors' scores (for the four rounds of 18) holes and the total) were:-Lt. A. L. Benedict 76, 72, 75,

G. M. Ivory 76, 83, 73, 75, 307 .. F. F. Few 79, 74, 79, 76, 308. R. C. Hall 82, 76, 77, 75, 310. Capt. H. H. Elarth 77, 80, 77,

R. S. Rogers 81, 80, 79, 74,

79, 317. Juan Arellaino 82, 81, 74, 82, 319.

77, 324. A. D. Gibbs 83, 83, 80, 80, 326. the protest of several football fans At present only one bat Juan Tuason 85, 78, 80, 84, 827. beside myself.

J. A. Berry, Jr. 82, 90, 83, 83, almost be called a local custom troops will entrain for Wiest

Maji. Paulino Santos 97, 83, 85,

Antonio Escoda 89, 89, 86, 91,

Mariano Albert 85, 101, 87, 86,

Rafael Ramos 94, 87, 88, 95,

D. Abrera 95, 89, 86, 96, 365. Conidr. J. A. Murphy 96, 96, 91, Roy J. Berry 96, 95, 90, 92,

The following-withdrew:-Dr Nichols, Prof. H. P. Scott, P. C.

game lid not make committee's 5 0 19 0 form. The Whites scored three sibly be purdened or at least a 2 0 17 0 times in this half through Howard Ettle all owance made for 8 0 84 0 and Burler (2)
10 2 81 6 Result Whites 4 Colours I players to specialist Honoroog in this following the street with the t

TEST TEAM.

SELECTIONS.

REPORTED AUSTRALIAN

A SURPRISE BOWLER?

(Reuter's Service.)

Sydney, Jan. 27. It is unofficially reported that Arthur J. Richardson (South Australia), W. M. Woodfull and J. L. Ellis (both of Victoria) will Rapallo. complete the team to tour England with S. Everett (New South Wales) as sixteenth man, if the number is

[Note: Richardson is an allrounder who played in the last Tests. Woodfull is a batsman. Ellis is a wicket-keeper (who will Vale of Leven 1, Stenhousemuir 2, probably be reserve) and Everett is a bowler.

Sheffield Shield. In the last match of the Sheffield Shield. New South Wales (winners) beat Victoria (holders) by an innings and 96 runs. Scores:-N.S.W. (1st) 708 runs. H. L. for discussion between the F. Collins made 143. 271 not out, C. Kelleway 68,

4 wickets for 57 runs. Victoria (2nd) 322 runs. W. H. commission will be one of Fonsford made 138, Woodfull 126; Everett took 5 wickets for 91 runs.

HOCKEY MATCH.

CLUB FIRST TEAM GET 5 GOALS.

With a blank score sheet at half-time yesterday, the Hongkong Hockey Club 1st XI rearranged its forward line and scored five times without reply before the final whistle.

The Club seniors were to have met H.M.S. "Hermes." In the absence of the naval opposition in the conference which M. B. Mr. J. Wedlake took a team over lis due to have to-morrow wit to give the first eleven a game. After the interval, E. J. R. It is understood that they forward line. W. Woodward (of many may be considered as h. the vanguard) dropped to back and fulfilled her disarmament of The skipper scored three of the League of Nations before

The following will represent the of the Locarno pact are f Club 2nd XI in a match against rather a tender situation, the "5/2 Punjabis, at Marina whereas the Allies have been Ground, Kowloon, to-morrow at 5 generous to Germany, the p.m.:-T. R. Rowell; C. L. R. shows militarist and nation Becher, J. Wedlake (Capt.); E. F. tendencies. Stewart, L. P. Ralph, Rev. N. Evans; J. E. Noronha, S. Garrod, D. Lyon, Lieut. E. H.

Jacobs-Larkcom, T. J. Price.

sponsible for the other two.

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SHANGHAI'S INTERPORT FOOTBALL.

The following letter was addressed to the Editor of the "N.C. Comdr. H. C. Train 79, 83, 76, Daily News":-

Sir,-Whereas I have heard J. R. H. Mason 81, 82, 77, 79, rumours rampant that the interport football match between troops from the Cologne zon G. W. Mackay 78, 76, 86, 81, Hongkong and Shanghai is to now practically complete, an take place at the Pioneer field, British flag over the headqus N. S. Wotherspoon 84, 81, 82, please allow me space in your in that city will be hauled do column, if this is correct, to voice Saturday.

Lt. C. T. Joy 82, 79, 80 89, 880. The interports have been play- Friday, but fatigue will re Comdr. B. S. Bullard 85, 86, 82, ed for umpteen years at the Re- until the following day. creation ground; probably have The hauling down of the E. J. Nell 80, 86, 86, 80, 332. never been played out of it since after seven years' occupation Lt. L. E. Gruber 86, 84, 83, 83, lits inauguration; why this sudden be accompanied by a simple side-stepping from what might mony, after which the rema

(and a public expectation?) Is it a question of money? zone of occupation will thu Surely the various sporting clubs levacuated. Pablo Santos 87, 85, 79, 90, 841, of Shanghai, if approached, will. Lt. E. H. K. Miller 91, 84, 91, be only too glad to give their financial support towards defraying expenses of a team that, after all, they are a sort of host to! Miguel Cuaderno 84, 93, 89, And they certainly would not be over-anxious to "host" a visiting

if ever used themselves! Again, why deviate from the old custom of having trial games. here, and charging for admission? Have these in the Pioneer field, by all means, if absolute restriction of non-paying spectators is to be enforced. Hongkong, according to very reliable reports, have had no less than four trials, although Marshal Chang Tso-lin's orders, not necessarily for financial ends; Chinese soldiery continue to supwhat about Shanghai? I am cer- press the Soviet Trade Unions at train that real fans will be even Harbin. Rees to go out Saturdays to see The premises of all unions of the programme. the trial games, or even Sundays. I have been closed and the officials Herr Mueller demanded that The Government has suffered a If you are told that for so many Larrested. years that the Interport gemes The Tass Agency at Moscow Nations without delay and un- tion of the German Nationalists had been held in Shanghai and I is authoritatively informed that was not away. I had looked for the friestions of the resumption other Parties view that the pro-Lavainst Governmental votes. But

in your correspondence columns. Enclosing my card HONOMONG AND SHANGHAL Shanghal Japusky 20

NOTABLE MEETING

SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN

IN PARIS.

M. Briand, the Fremier, n Austen Chamberlain (British eign Secretary) on his arrival

(Reuter's Service.)

Sir Austen proceeded to British Embassy. It is exp that he will spend two da Paris. He will confer wi Briand to-morrow (Thursday

leave for London on Friday. ONUS ON BRIAND.

To Take the Lead in Interv

(British Wireless Service

Rugby, Jan. The initiative in raising ma A. F. Kippax Premier and Sir Austen Char lain will rest primarily wit Victoria (1st): 290 runs. W. H. Briand and it is generally bel Ponsford made 79; S. Everett took that a suggestion for postpone of the preparatory disarma W. M. subjects dealt with in the co

conversations. Other points which it is cipated will be raised includ present position regarding state of Germany's disarman the position of the Inter-A commission of control; and reduction of the present A military strength in the Co

and Mayence zones. PRESS INTERESTED.

Germany's Obligations to Al

(Havas Agency.)

The papers are most inter Austen Chamberlain.

tions, and be admitted to goals and J. E. Noronha was re- Inter-Allied Committee of Mil Control has completed its wor

Delicate Situation. "Le Journal" thinks the fra

Behaviour Illogical

"L'Oeuvre" considers Germ behaviour illogical, as she concessions before having plied with the disarmament ditions. The Allies' willin cannot be doubted, but the must manifest the same. over, the Locarno Treaty doe

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PROMISES NOT FULFILLED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, Jan. 27 At the opening of the debate on the Government's programme in the Reichstag, the Centreist,

Germany enter the League of setback by the Reichstag's adopconditionally. He agreed with the motion regarding procedure

ward to this bi-annual contest of the activities of Trade Unions mises made by Flermany had not a more savere test is foreshedow-I am certain you will excuse my connected with the Chinese East been fulfilled, but he declared that led by the Communists and Right request for such a lengthy space arn Railway; compensation for the Opposition to their fulfilment Extramists and German Nationals losses caused by the Manchurlan came not from statesmen but from submitting separate non-consufficitles during the dispute the militaries and the entents dispute for debate to-

Positive Vote Demanded. Berlin, later.

Amid interruptions from the Right, the Chancellor, Dr. Luther, refused to give information rsgarding the negotiations between Germany and the Allies. He said that the Reichstag must support and not merely tolerate him, and demanded a positive vote of con-Herr Fehrenbach, and the morrow and will probably
Socialist, Herr Mueller, approved adopted by a small majority. fidence, which will be voted on tomorrow and will probably be-An earlier cablegram stated

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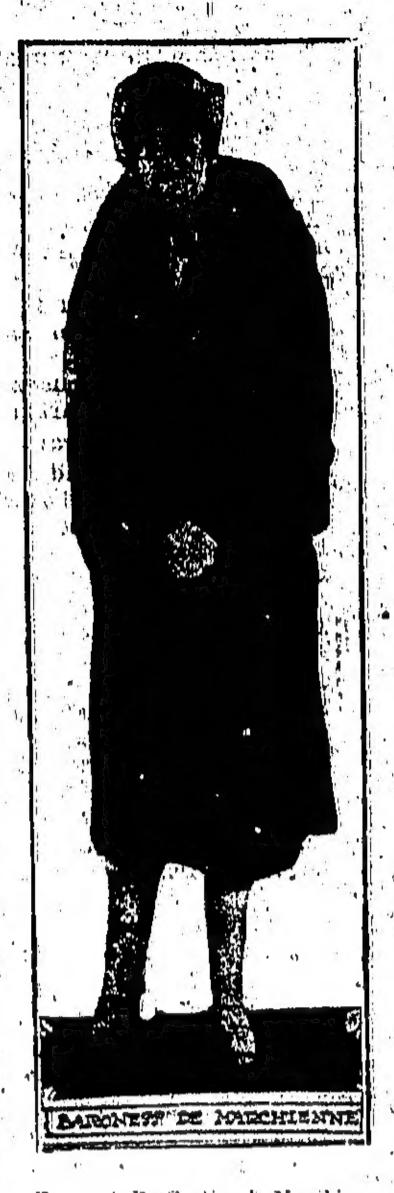
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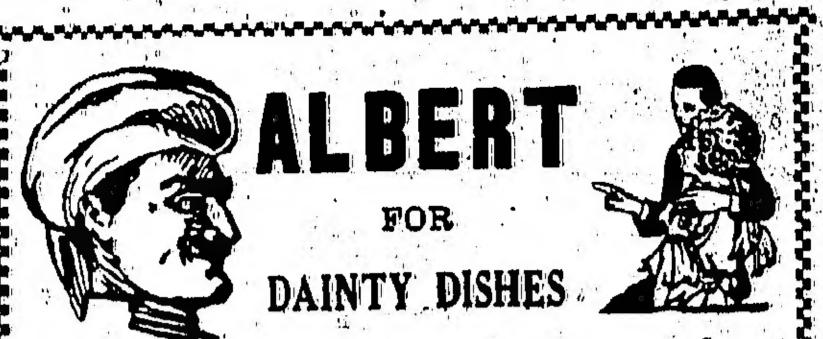
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Bude Von Thorsenreid, blue-blooded prize police dog of New York, likes nothing better than to have a pair of boxing gloves tied on his paws and then to mix it for a few rounds with

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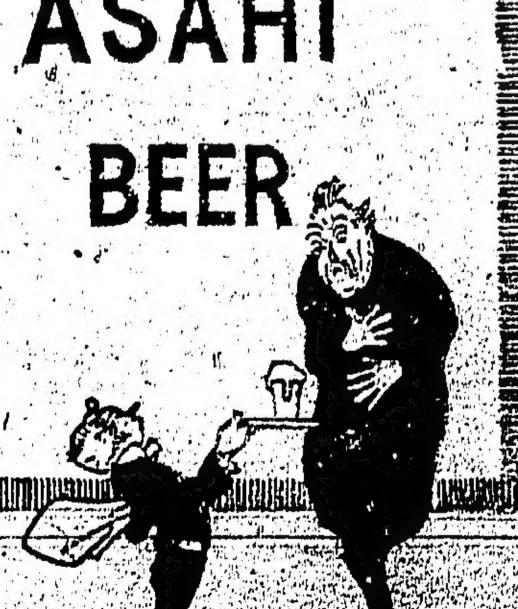
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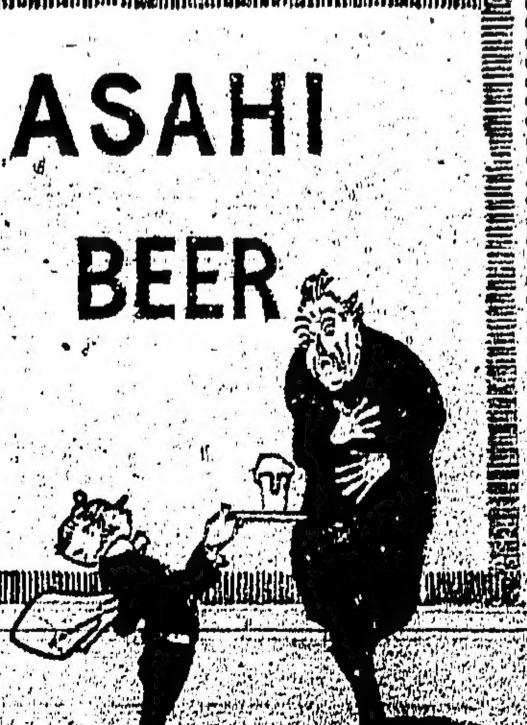














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